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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM BUFFUM

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: UNSC, GK, CY

SUBJ: CYPRUS IN SECURITY COUNCIL

1. I SAW TURKISH AMBASSADOR OLCAY AGAIN LATE MARCH 10 FOR  
WRAP UP OF TODAY'S CONSULTATIONS AND CONSIDERATION OF HOW  
WE PROCEED FROM HERE. I ADVISED HIM GREEK DEL WAS  
INCREASINGLY IMPATIENT WITH DELAY IN GETTING COUNCIL DECISION  
AND WERE INSISTING ON VOTE BY TOMORROW NOON ON TEXT WHETHER  
OR NOT IT HAS TURKISH AGREEMENT. I ALSO SAID GREEK DEL  
IS INSISTING RESOLUTION MUST CALL FOR TALKS "UNDER PERSONAL  
DIRECTION OF SECRETARY GENERAL." I NOTED THAT ESENBEL HAD  
TOLD US IN ANKARA THAT WORD "DIRECTION" LIKE "CHAIRMANSHIP"  
IS UNACCEPTABLE. ALTHOUGH I ALLEGED UNCERTAINTY AS TO WHETHER  
FINAL POSITION, I PERSONALLY THOUGHT IT WORTH MAKING ONE  
LAST EFFORT TO BRIDGE GAP BY DELETING ANY QUALIFYING WORDS  
ABOUT SECRETARY GENERAL'S ROLE AND MERELY SPECIFY THAT  
TALKS WOULD BE "UNDER HIM." THAT IS TO SAY I BELIEVE  
GOT SHOULD CONSIDER ACCEPTANCE OF REFORMULATED PARAGRAPH  
SIX WHICH WOULD READ "REQUESTS THE SECRETARY GENERAL  
ACCORDINGLY TO CONVENE THE PARTIES AND TO PLACE HIMSELF  
PERSONALLY AT THEIR DISPOSAL SO THAT THE RESUMPTION,

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INTENSIFICATION AND PROGRESS OF COMPREHENSIVE NEGOTIATIONS

CARRIED OUT, UNDER HIM, IN A SPIRIT OF UNDERSTANDING AND MODERATION MIGHT BE FACILITATED AND TO UNDERTAKE A NEW MISSION OF GOOD OFFICES." INSERTION OF WORDS "UNDER HIM" WOULD, IN OTHER WORDS, REPLACE GREEK REQUIREMENT "UNDER HIS PERSONAL DIRECTION."

2. I INDICATED SECRETARY WOULD BE INVOLVED IN SERIOUS SUBSTANTIVE NEGOTIATIONS ON SETTLEMENT OF CYPRUS PROBLEM AND I KNEW WOULD NOT WISH TO BE INVOLVED IN NEGOTIATION OF SC RESOLUTION LANGUAGE. ACCORDINGLY I ASKED OLCAY TO COMMUNICATE THIS PROPOSAL DIRECTLY TO HIS GOVERNMENT FOR ITS CONSIDERATION AND WITH REQUEST THAT THEY REPLY TO HIM TOMORROW MORNING.

3. OLCAY THOUGHT THIS WAS DEFINITELY WORTH TRYING AND PROMISED COMMUNICATE RESULTS OUR CONVERSATION TO ANKARA IMMEDIATELY.

4. OLCAY ALSO POINTED OUT THAT EVEN IF ACCEPTABLE RESOLUTION EMERGED HIS DELEGATION WOULD STILL HAVE ITS OBJECTION IF COUNCIL PRESIDENT INDICATED, AS GREEKS INSIST, THAT NEW YORK APPEARS TO BE MOST PRACTICAL VENUE FOR RESUMED TALKS. BUFFUM SAID HE CONSIDERED TURKISH RESERVATIONS ON SUCH STATEMENT BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT WOULD BE LEGITIMATE AND NOT AS SERIOUS AS WOULD RESERVATIONS ON TEXT OF RESOLUTION ITSELF. IF COUNCIL IS ABLE TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY THIS WOULD IN ITSELF BE A STEP FORWARD EVEN THOUGH THERE WAS NOT YET FULL AGREEMENT ON SPECIFICS OF FOLLOW-UP.  
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